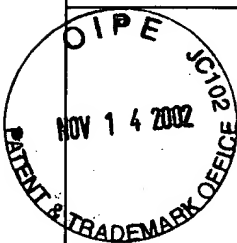


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of Studdiford	
Application Number 09/712,837 ✓	Filed 11/10/2000
For Accessory Mounting Apparatus	
Group Art Unit 3632	Examiner Baxter, G.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 131241. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the ☐ applicant/inventor
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Filed: November 10, 2000

For: ACCESSORY MOUNTING  
APPARATUS

Los Angeles, California  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (THIRD-MONTH)**

Applicants hereby request that the time for response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2002 in the above-captioned United States patent application be extended by three months, up to and including November 20, 2002. This request is made in order that an examiner's amendment can take place in furtherance of the application. The requisite fee of \$460.00 is enclosed along with a Petition For Extension Of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (form PTO/SB/22). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 131241.

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